

GO GLIMMERING.

Records Smashed By Robert J. Who Paces

A Mile in 2:01 1-2 at Terre Haute.

LIKE A WHIRLWIND

He Comes Under the Wire Amid Cheers.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Sept. 15.—World's records went glimmering over the Terre Haute track yesterday which now holds all but two—the fastest three heat paces and the fastest 2-year-old pacing race records. There is hung up the fastest mile ever gone by a horse in harness, Robert J., 2:01½, the miles of Nancy Hanks and Alix, each in 2:04; the world's record for 4-year-old trotters, made by Fantasy in 2:06; the fastest six heat race ever gone by a 3-year-old; Expressive's great race three weeks ago, the fastest 2-year-old trotting record, Oakland Baron's mile in 2:16; Whirl-

SALT FOR THE FISHERIES.

Secretary Carlisle Makes a Railing Regarding Its Importation.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 15.—Secretary Carlisle, in answer to a letter from Francis D. Moulton & Co., New York, made an important decision with reference to salt imported for the fisheries. Moulton inquired whether salt imported for the fisheries was still free of duty, as under the McKinley act. The secretary, after citing the section of the act of 1890, providing for the free importation in bond of salt used in fish curing taken by vessels licensed to engage in fishery and curing fish on the shores of the navigable waters of the United States, and also of the refund of duty to the exporters of meats cured with imported salt, says:

THIS HELPS THE SANTA FE

Joliet Boycotts the Alton Because It Won't Build a New Depot.

JOLIET, Ill., Sept. 15.—The Business Men's association have held a meeting in regard to the Chicago & Alton railroad refusing to erect a new passenger depot in this city. The old wooden depot has

REVIEW OF TRADE.

Dun Says Volume of Business is Larger Than at Any Time Since the Panic.

UNDER THE TARIFF

No Change of Importance Has Yet Taken Place.

New York, Sept. 15.—R. G. Dun's Weekly Review of Trade says: Business has met no setback this week and continues larger than earlier in August and larger than a year ago directly after the panic. The country has now passed nearly three weeks under the tariff and all admit that changes have been of less importance as yet than was expected. If in some branches business has materially increased, it has gained a little or has fallen off in others. Loss in some directions is explained by crop reports, for the most favorable estimate of exports puts the loss of corn at about 400,000,000 bushels, whereas the government report is by some interpreted as meaning a loss of 1,000,000,000 bushels. The opinion of the trade does not favor the official estimate, and the price has not risen at all during the week, though receipts have been very small. Exports have practically ceased, and all realize the shrinkage of 400,000,000 bushels is serious if it proves to be no greater, since it must affect the prices of meats for a year or more. Pork is unchanged, but lard has risen 30 cents per 100 pounds.

Not are official reports encouraging as to wheat. Western receipts in two weeks have been 11,184,687 bushels, against 10,674,761 last year. At present, while grey foreign sells at 99½¢, lard is only 2,074,750, against 5,200,562 last year, and the price is one-half cent lower. Considerable injury is officially reported to cotton, but few expect less than 8,500,000 bales, which is more than enough, and the price is one-half cent lower.

The great increase in iron production which was noted as following the removal of strike difficulties, is measured by the capacity of furnaces in blast Sept. 1, namely, 151,113 tons against 115,350 August 1, and the unsold stocks and ducts at 35,384 tons during the month. The output thus rises to 30 per cent of a full production, but the consumption may be less, as the main increase in output was near the end of August, and the prices have since weakened a little—lumber from \$11.40 at Pittsburgh, while grey foreign sells at 99½¢. Lard is only 2,074,750, against 5,200,562 last year, and the price is one-half cent lower. Considerable injury is officially reported to cotton, but few expect less than 8,500,000 bales, which is more than enough, and the price is one-half cent lower.

Less activity is seen in dry goods, the rash of postpaid business has abated, and there is more disposition to defer purchases because of somewhat general advances in cotton goods and because London wool sales are expected to make the outlook clearer. Strikes in cotton mills have not ceased and spring goods of print cloths shrink rapidly, but some question whether recent advances in prices can be maintained with important addition to the present force. There is still a fair business for speedy delivery in woollens, and for cheaper grades of spring goods, but scarcely anything is done in the finer grades. About half the usual business in the aggregate has been done, but about three-quarters in the cheaper grades. Sales of wool have been 8,255,200 in two weeks, against 3,467,000 last year and 16,433,000 in 1892. The markets are easier and less active, all awaiting the London sale.

BANK CLEARINGS.

New York, Sept. 15.—The following table, compiled by Bradstreet's, shows the total clearances at the principal cities, and the percentage of increase or decrease as compared with the corresponding week last year:

Cities	Clearings	Inc	Dec
London City	\$6,755,511	22.1	
Omaha	4,361,467	16.9	
Denver	1,127,127	12.7	
St. Joseph	2,306,931	13.3	
Lincoln	4,322,848	4.1	
Wichita	2,291,038	1.3	
Topeka	364,453	20.7	

G. A. R. SHORTAGE.

Ladies' Past National Treasurer Accused of Misappropriating Funds.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Sept. 15.—By an official announcement, Mrs. Anna E. Grubb of Camden, N. J., past national treasurer of the ladies of the G. A. R., is charged with misappropriating the funds of the organization. This statement in the ladies' meeting created a sensation unparalelled in the history of the order since its beginning. The proceedings of the convention were secret.

One of the ladies, who is in high standing, makes the statement that Mrs. Grubb has defaulted to the amount of \$500 and suit has been brought against her bondsmen to recover. Mrs. Grubb she says, was re-elected to the office several times and had the confidence of the ladies to such an extent that the auditors in going over her books considered it necessary only to make a cursory examination. How long the shortage has existed is not stated, but at the Washington encampment the books were thought to be correct and she was re-elected. At Indianapolis in 1893 when the new treasurer was elected, Mrs. Grubb failed to turn over some of the books and investigation then discovered the discrepancy.

Wealthy Farmer Assassinated.

WICHITA, Kan., Sept. 15.—Sam Butts, a wealthy farmer living near Mulvane, was assassinated by some unknown party, who fired at him through a screen door, instantly killing him. There is no cause yet assigned for the deed or no clue to the assassin.

Prescott & Co. have removed to No. 118 West Eighth street.

THE JAPS DEFEATED.

They Lose 1,500 Troops in an Engagement Near Fusan.

SHANGHAI, Sept. 15.—If the reports received here from Corea are to be believed, there would seem to be no doubt that the Japanese forces operating against the Chinese are likely to be hemmed in. Dispatches received here from Fusan bring additional confirmations of the reports that the whole of Southern Corea has risen against the Japanese. It also seems to be confirmed that the Japanese force of 2,000 men who attempted to march from Fusan to Seoul have met with disaster serious enough to compel them to return to the former place with 1,200 of their number missing. From this it is judged that serious fighting must have taken place, as it is not believed that the 1,300 soldiers will reach Fusan. A force of 200 fresh troops have arrived from Fusan in order to protect the Japanese settlement at that place against the anticipated attack upon the part of the armed bands of Tonghaks gathered in the neighborhood.

General Liu Yung Fu, the prominent black flag chief of Anral, has received orders from the throne to depart as soon as possible for the island of Formosa, where he is to act as assistant imperial high war commissioner.

General Liu Yung Fu, at the end of August, attempted to transport 500 soldiers from Swatow to Formosa. But, hearing rumors that a Japanese squadron was cruising in the vicinity of Formosa, the captain of the steamer engaged to transport the Chinese would not put to sea, in spite of the entreaties and threats of the black flag general. Nothing daunted, General Liu Yung Fu succeeded in smuggling his men across to the island in small parties in any boats he could obtain possession of and whenever there was a chance of so doing. In this connection it is reported that the transport steamer referred to was afterwards overhauled by three Japanese cruisers, who sent boats of armed men to board her. The Japanese officers demanded the ship's papers, carefully examined them and then searched the steamer, evidently having received information to the effect that General Liu Yung Fu was likely to be on board of her.

Further details received from Corea say that the Japanese force of 2,000 men was sent to attempt to open up a line of communication between Fusan and Seoul. Their advance was opposed by the Koreans, who eventually compelled the Japanese to retreat to Fusan with a loss of 1,200 men, as before cabled.

The 2,000 men sent to reinforce the Japanese are now guarding Sorio, which is expected to be attacked by the Longhaks.

MISSOURI PENITENTIARY.

Charges of Irregularity Filed Against Warden Isaac at Jefferson City.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Sept. 15.—At a meeting of the board of prison inspectors yesterday charges were preferred by W. R. Belt against Warden J. L. Pace of the penitentiary. Mr. Belt until a couple of weeks ago was the mail clerk and usher at the prison, but was summarily dismissed, the warden alleging that he was discourteous and neglected his duties. This was denied vigorously by Mr. Belt, and he stated that in due time he would file charges against the warden. He was discharged yesterday from his home in Lafayette county. The board held an executive session, and decided to hear the matter September 25, and notified Warden Pace and Belt to that effect.

There appears to be nothing of a very serious nature in the charges. In a general way they relate that the warden has at various times violated the rules of the prison by having meat sent from the slaughter house to his residence, that he purchased a suit of clothes for a discharged convict and had the same changed to the account of the state; that the warden still retains in his employ a negro named Charles Dorton, after evidence has been submitted to him showing that Dorton has tampered with letters containing money for the convicts. There are some other charges, but they are of a trivial character.

TWO TO ONE ON OWENS.

Sporting Men in Lexington Playing Breckinridge to Lose.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Sept. 15.—Both Owens and Breckinridge closed here last night, Breckinridge speaking at the court house and Owens at the opera house. The Breckinridge forces made a big parade and demonstration, having several bands and a drum corps. Breckinridge's speech was simply an arraignment of Mr. Owens, repeating his charges and criticizing Owens' denial. The opera house was full.

Owens denied in bitter terms Breckinridge's charges that he is a broken down gambler, or that he was put out of a Louisville hotel. A conference was held by Mr. Owens' friends and an additional statement to that effect made and given out. The statement is an emphatic denial of all of Breckinridge's charges.

The primaries are being held to-day. Settle spoke at Owens last night to the people of his home county.

The Methodist conference is in session at Frankfort this week. In opening Bishop Duncan made remarks interpreted as strongly against Breckinridge. Dr. J. Ditzler opened with prayer, which needed no interpretation, as it was a philippic against the congressman. It caused much comment.

Horrible Double Murder.

ATCHISON, Kan., Sept. 15.—Word has just reached here of the horrible murder of J. Strong and daughter. They lived on a lonesome farm in Jackson county, and he was supposed to be a miner. Both the father and daughter were killed and their cabin burned.

Partial Eclipse of the Moon.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 15.—The partial eclipse of the moon was easily visible for about two hours last night, entering the earth's shadow about half past 10 o'clock and passing out again about 12:30 o'clock.

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BARKER ON THE FLAG.

Indianapolis A. R. U. Officials Given a Pointer on Flags.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Sept. 15.—George Scholtz, president of the Terre Haute branch of the American Railway union, and H. Daniels, who was chief of the grievance committee of the union at Terre Haute during the recent railroad strike, were both found guilty of contempt of court by Judge Barker of the United States court yesterday. The court released the men on their good behavior.

Referring to the alleged statement of Scholtz brought out in evidence that the flag of the A. R. U. would take the place of the stars and stripes, Judge Barker said: "When we get a new flag the whole body of the people are going to be invited, and are going to have a chance to say what they think about it, and not simply the members of the American Railway union."

Congressional Candidates Fight.

CHICAGO, Sept. 15.—E. T. Noonan, Democratic congressional candidate in the Fourth district, was badly pounded yesterday afternoon by George E. White, the Republican candidate in the same district. The men met on West Madison street and after a hot quarrel, came to blows. No one was injured. Noonan swore out a warrant for the arrest of White, charging him with assault and battery and disorderly conduct.

Special Prayer Meeting Called.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Sept. 15.—A special prayer meeting was called at the Episcopal church here last night at which Divine guidance was asked in the coming elections. Evangelist Rev. J. C. Morrison addressed a denominational political meeting of Owens men, proclaiming that the Lord was on their side.

BRIEFS BY WIRE.

The Albuquerque, N. M. territorial Populist convention nominated T. B. Mills of Las Vegas for delegate to congress.

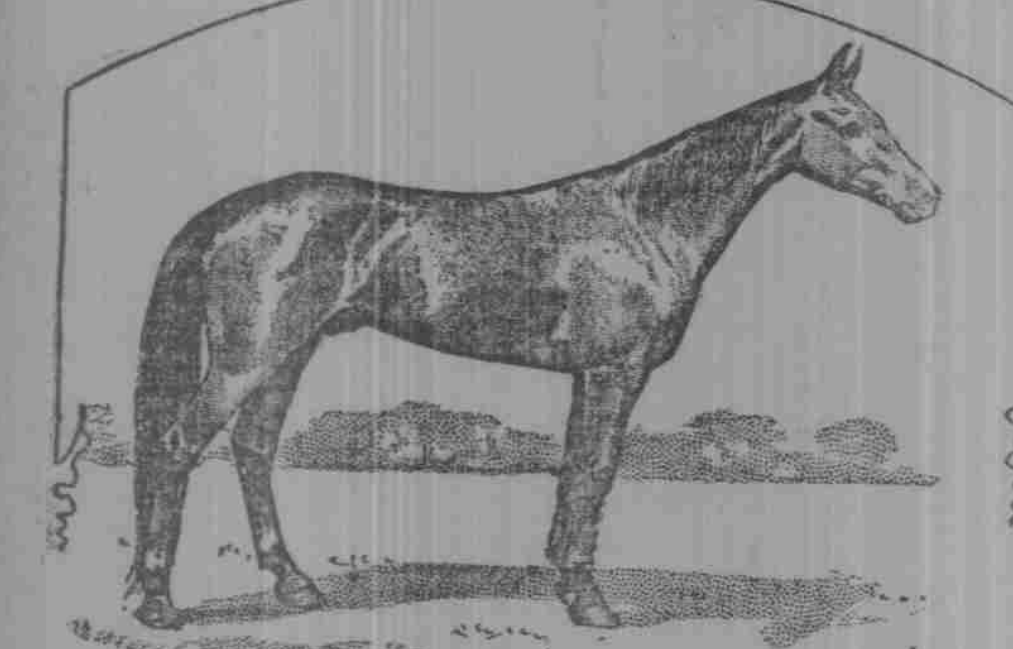
During Emperor William's visit to Mannheim and posters bearing the words, "Down with the emperor and the monarchy," were found displayed in various parts of the town. The police have no clue to the identity of the persons who displayed the posters.

A dispatch to the London Times from Calcutta says that the highest flood ever recorded in that district is now causing much damage at Lucknow, where a large portion of the city is inundated.

The officials of the Brazilian legation in London declare that there is no truth in the Montevideo dispatch, published by a news agency, saying that Admiral De Gama and a number of other officers were shot without trial, by order of President Peixoto of Brazil, in the fortress of Santa Cruz on April 25.

Chinese agents, it is alleged, are offering bribes to the soldiers of the British garrison at Hong Kong in order to induce them to desert and enter the Chinese service. The commander of the British forces at Hong Kong has issued an order warning the troops against listening to the advances of the Chinese.

The Republican newspapers of Paris regard the manifesto of the Duc d'Orleans as purely platonic and not affecting France in any way. The Royalist papers warmly eulogize the manifesto and the organs of the Clerical party suspend judgment upon it, while awaiting action on the part of the new head of the house of Orleans.



ROBERT J., 2:01 1-2—World's Record Broken Yesterday at Terre Haute.

gig's 2-year-old pacing record of 2:10; the stallion pacing record of 2:03½ by John R. Gentry and the stallion record of 2:04 by Joe Patchen; the marvelous mile by the 3-year-old pacer done by Carbonate in 2:09 and his previous record of 2:10 tied by Directly. That is why the town is wild with enthusiasm.

Geers was up behind Robert J. and at the second trial the word was given. The clip was so fast that the pacemaker fell behind, the first quarter being done in 30½ seconds. Up the hill he went at even a faster gait and was at the half in 1:00½. Down the third quarter the marvelous gelding came like a whirlwind; 29½ seconds marked his time for that quarter and he was at the three-quarter pole in 1:30½. Geers, with rein and voice, gently reeled the gelding, who came into the stretch strong, never for a moment wavering under the terrific trial, and a moment later Geers landed Robert J. under the wire in 2:01½.

Pandemonium then broke loose. Men shouted themselves hoarse, tossing their hats and canes in the air; women set aside dignity and waved handkerchiefs and parasols to the melody of their more resonant applause. There were cheers for horse, for driver, and for the owner, Mr. Hamlin, and Geers was lifted from the sulky and carried up the stretch on the shoulders of admiring friends. Scarcely less marvelous was the great performance of the 2-year-old pacer Carbonate. A half hour before his only rival, Directly, had gone to lower the mark made by Carbonate on Wednesday. But the fast son of Directly was unequal to the task and could do no better than tie it. Then came Carbonate, the beautiful gray son of Superior. Jack Curry held the reins over the youngster. Ed. Geers, with Ferdinand, was the pacemaker. The colt went away true and strong. He reeled off the first quarter in 32½. Up hill he went to the half at 2:03½, doing the half in 1:03½. Still faster was that speedy third quarter and at a 2:06 gait he was at the third quarter at 1:35. His tender mouth caused him to falter for a moment, when Curry took the reins to reef him. It was but for a moment and again he was away and landed the heat in 2:09 flat, lowering the world's record for 2-year-olds. Again the crowd went wild and cheered both Carbonate, his owner, Major Dubois of Denver, and his driver, Jack Curry, till it was tired out.

The marvelous mile of John R. Gentry was made in the opening heat of the free-for-all pace carried over from Wednesday, when he did the mile in 2:03½. Some thought the mile as fast as 2:03½, and it is believed that had the pacemaker gone after the black 5-year-old a little harder the Patchen Wilkes horse would have done the mile in as good as 2:03.

There was great disappointment over the Alix performance. With so perfect a day and a track it was thought the mare could make a new world's record for trotters. But she had tied the Nancy Hanks record on Wednesday, and it was too much to make a second effort the same week. Besides she seemed nervous. She did not get away strong, it taking 31½ seconds to do the first quarter. When the half was reached in 1:05½ the crowd dropped back resignedly. The down hill to the third quarter was in the same time as in the second. Then hope was abandoned by the silent crowd. On she came at a still slower rate, doing the mile in 2:04½.

Good work done by the Peerless.

been standing in this city for over thirty years. The management has so far refused to pay any attention to the requests for a new depot, and the Business Men's association passed resolutions declaring a boycott in both passenger and freight business against the road unless they erect a new depot.

This will be a great loss to the Chicago & Alton as there are two other railroads running through this city to Chicago. The local dealers in the communication tickets between here and Chicago are pushing the sale of the tickets on the other two roads. Joliet ranks third for business on the entire line of the Chicago & Alton.

ADULTS THEY WERE DRUNK

Dr. Cook, Who Engineered the Miranda Expedition, Is Interviewed.

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—Dr. Cook, who engineered the Miranda expedition to Greenland, was shown a dispatch from Oberlin, O., saying that many of the crew of the steamer Miranda were drunk at the time she was abandoned and that the reef on which the vessel struck was plainly marked on the chart. He said:

"What is quite true that some of the crew of the steamer were intoxicated at times, nobody was under the influence of liquor at the time she struck the reef. All the intoxicating liquors on board the Miranda were locked up and in charge of the steward, an am confident really he never gave any member of the crew anything to drink and did not abuse his trust."

"In regard to the statement of Professor Wright that the reef on which the Miranda struck was plainly marked on the chart, I wish to say that he is somewhat mistaken. The only charts of the coast that are obtainable are the United States hydrographical and the British chart. Neither of these charts gives the position of the reef. The Danish charts, however, which really the property of the Danish Trading company, gave the position of the reef. Unfortunately we did not have these Danish charts, or the accident would not have happened."

THE GOLD RESERVE.

It Is Steadily Climbing Up in Uncle Sam's Strong Box.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 15.—The net cash in the treasury at the close of business yesterday was \$127,162,441, of which \$56,948,524 represented the gold reserve.

The gold reserve has been steadily climbing up for the past month. On August 8 it reached its lowest point in the history of the department, \$53,189,500. Since that date it has increased almost \$5,000,000 and the increase has largely allayed the fears of treasury officials. During the past week it has increased over \$1,000,000. This increase is accounted for by the surrender of gold voluntarily by banks and its exchange for small notes. During the past week \$216,000 have been so exchanged. The balance of the increase is due to the purchase of bullion at Helena, Denver and Charlotte, N. C. The large increase in the output of gold in Colorado and Montana piles up the gold reserve, as it finds its way directly to the assay offices of the government.

Ex-Senator Thomas M. Bowen was nominated for Congress by acclamation by the Second district Colorado Republican convention.

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